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NATIONAL

Convention Of Catholic Societies To Occur In Columbus

One of the greatest conventions ever held in Columbus under Catholic auspices will be the national convention of the American Federation of Catholic Societies which will be held in the city of Columbus, August 20th—23rd.

It will be attended by many prominent members of the Catholic hierarchy and clergy, and by thousands of Catholic laymen from every State in the Union.

Word has just been received by State President James T. Carroll of the Catholic Columbian, who is in charge of the speakers and public meetings that Dr. James J. Walsh, Dean of Fordham University Medical School will be one of the speakers at the Mass Meeting on Sunday evening August 20th. Dr. Walsh is the author of the most talked of work of recent years "The Thirteenth Greatness of Centuries." Other books by him are "Makers of Modern Medicine," "The Popes and Science," "Education," "How Old the New," "Catholic Churchmen in Science," etc. His address on "The Church and Science" on August 20th will be one of the intellectual treats of the year. Admission to Memorial Hall will be free. Rt. Rev. Bishop Hartley will preside at the meeting and Messrs. Falconio, the Papal delegate to Washington, will be present.

One of the greatest and most inspiring scenes of the National Convention of the American Federation of Catholic Societies, to be held in Columbus, Ohio, August 20th—23rd will be the mammoth parade in which it is expected there will be at least twelve thousand men in line.

The climax of this great demonstration of Christian Citizenship will be the passing of the bands and banners on Broad street, in front of the reviewing stand in the State House grounds. The bands massed will play National and Religious hymns marching past reviewing stand, the Cathedral, and Memorial Hall, followed by thousands in serried ranks of uniformed men of the Knights of St. John and other societies, who will come to Columbus for the occasion from all sections of the State of Ohio. On the reviewing stand will be the State officials, dignitaries of the Church, priests, and citizens who contributed to the expenses of the Convention.

BLADENSBURG

Mrs. Jane Holtz entertained her nephew, James McWilliams, of Newark, last Saturday at dinner.

Mrs. Orrie Nethers and little daughter, Thelma, of Gambier, spent Tuesday afternoon with her parents.

George McCammett went to Cedar Point Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Wolf attended the institute at Martinsburg Tuesday.

Miss Ethel Weekly of Newark, was the guest of Mrs. Martha McKee a few days this week.

Miss Ina Wiggins is visiting relatives near Pipeville.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Cochran of near Howard, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Hull Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah Hall and Mrs. Salie Cottrell were Mt. Vernon callers Tuesday.

Miss Tena Hays left last Sunday for an extended visit with her father at Gambier.

Mrs. Arla Burkholder visited her parents one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Humbert of Howard, were Sunday guests of Mr. Blystone and wife.

Mrs. Lizzie VanWinkle and son, Everett, of East Union, visited relatives one day the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cheyney and daughter of Columbus, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Cheyney, East Vine street.

Mrs. and Mrs. Jay McCalla and daughter, Edith, of Michigan are the guests of Mr. McCalla's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David McCalla, who reside just east of the city.

Mr. F. B. Tisot went to Columbus Wednesday noon to make a short business visit.

HEARING

Of The "Steel Trust" Is Resumed In New York

New York, July 27.—The so-called Steel Investigating Committee of the House, of which Representative Stanley of Kentucky is chairman, came to New York today to resume its hearings within a convenient halling distance of the officers of the giant corporation and where some of the big men of Wall street and others who are supposed to know the inside history of the formation and operations of the United States Steel Corporation can be summoned before the committee without loss of time. It is understood the committee will first resume its investigation of the absorption of the Tennessee Coal and Iron Company by the United States Steel Corporation. So far nothing has transpired to verify the rumors that J. P. Morgan, George W. Perkins, ex-President Roosevelt and other big men would be summoned to testify, but the belief prevails that the committee will not hesitate to take such action should it seem necessary to get at the foundation facts in regard to the Tennessee merger.

ESTO

Mr. and Mrs. John Stricker and children of Tiverton Center, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Strickers of Gambier, Mr. Jasper Stricker and Miss Lulu Stricker of Pipeville, and Miss Jennie Stricker were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Knox Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Schooley and son, William, spent Sunday with Mr. Chas. Melick and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hartsook and daughter Daisy of Mt. Vernon, and Mr. James Hoyman of Homer, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hoyman.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Nethers and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morningstar left for Mansfield Monday, where Mrs. Nethers and Mrs. Morningstar expect to take treatment for rheumatism.

Quite a number from this place attended the ice cream social at Millwood Saturday evening.

You can hear the hum of the threshing machines now in this vicinity.

Mr. Erven Doolittle says he has the largest hop vine in Knox county. He put up a twenty-five foot pole for the vine to run on, it went to the top, then he added six feet more to the pole and it went to the top and then it turned and began coming back. It is about a third of the way down. Mr. Doolittle doesn't think anything can beat it considering the dry summer. If there is he would like for them to report.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Nethers spent Sunday with relatives in Mt. Vernon.

WARM

Campaign Is Now On In Mississippi

Jackson, Miss., July 27.—One of the most spirited political campaigns that Mississippi has seen in years will be held for the endorsement of a candidate for United States senator and the nomination of candidates and other officers to be chosen at the next election. In this State the Democratic nomination is equivalent to election. Public interest centers almost wholly in the contest for the senatorship. Senator Leroy Percy, whose term of office will expire in 1913 is a candidate for re-election. His principal opponent in the fight for the toga is ex-Governor James K. Vardaman, one of the most aggressive and picturesque politicians that Mississippi has turned out in many years. C. H. Alexander is the third entrant in the senatorial race. Alexander has developed a considerable following, but the most unbiased onlookers are of the opinion that the real fight will be between Vardaman and Percy, with a close finish and the probability that a second primary will be necessary to a choice. Earl Brewer, a prominent lawyer of Clarksdale, will be nominated for governor without opposition.

Miss Edith Horkman of Columbus is spending several days with her sister, Mrs. B. F. Hammond of Millwood.

Miss Hazel Bennett and Miss Faye McMillen of Akron spent Tuesday in Mr. and Mrs. Balmer Colgin of Howard.

Mr. William H. Clarke returned Tuesday evening from a week's visit in Cleveland.

Cookery Points

Chicken Liver Rolls.
Wash and drain some chicken livers, then roll them in flour seasoned with salt and black pepper and cook them gently in warm butter for about six minutes. Cut as many thin strips of bacon as there are livers and roll each of the latter in a piece of bacon. Dust the rolls lightly with flour, then dip them into beaten egg and cover them thickly with fine breadcrumbs and fry in deep, boiling fat. Serve the little rolls on small cakes of fried potato. The rolls can be prepared the previous day and left ready to be fried.

Mixed Fruit Salad.
Slice four bananas, four oranges and one pineapple. Put on lettuce leaves and pour over a French dressing. For those who do not care for the French dressing make a sirup of one and one-half cups of sugar and one cup of water and boil until thick. Add the strained juice of one lemon, let cool and then pour over the fruit. Let stand on ice for two and a half hours. Another good dressing is one cup of good claret, half a cup of sugar and a slice of lemon. All fruits that go well together may be mixed.

A Blackberry Pie.
Blackberry cobbler is a southern dish, sometimes called "family pie." Line a pudding dish with pastry and fill it with ripe luscious blackberries. Sprinkle liberally with sugar and cover with a top crust which has been rolled thin, doubled together and gashed with a knife. Open it and spread over the berries and press the edges down with a fork. Bake slowly for half an hour. Serve with cream or with butter and sugar. Use canned berries when fresh ones are unobtainable.

Current Jelly.
Wash the currants, put them, still wet, into the preserving kettle and set where the fruit will heat very slowly. When it is hot and broken squeeze it through a jelly bag. Measure a pound of sugar. Put the sugar in shallow pans in the open oven to heat, stirring it often, that it may not burn. Return the juice to the fire and boil steadily for twenty minutes, then add gradually the heated sugar, bring to the boiling point, take from the fire and pour into glasses.

Apple Salad.
Apple salad is made as follows: Core and pare six large apples and cut into small pieces, chop three heads of celery rather fine and mix with apples, then add half a pint of walnuts broken into pieces. Mix all together with thick mayonnaise sauce and serve on lettuce leaves. If the apples are somewhat tasteless add the strained juice of one lemon. Prepare just before it is required, as the apples will darken if allowed to stand.

Preserved Peaches.
Peel some peaches and after removing the pits weigh the fruit. To each pound of this allow a pound of sugar. Put the fruit into the kettle in layers, covering each layer with sugar. Simmer gently for a half hour after the boil begins, then remove the peaches and spread them on a platter. Boil the sirup until thick, skimming often. Pack the peaches into jars, fill these to overflowing with the boiling sirup and seal.

Salmon Salad.
To make salmon salad take one pound of salmon, twelve sweet chopped gherkins, six chopped olives, half of a chopped onion and half a breakfast-cupful of mayonnaise sauce. Remove all skin and bone from the salmon. Chop up fine and mix with it the chopped gherkins, olives and onion. Add just a pinch of salt. Stir the mayonnaise sauce into it and serve cold on crisp lettuce leaves.

Peach Potpie.
To make a delicious peach potpie fill a bowl or basin or pudding mold one-third full of peaches, pared and stoned and quartered. Pour a cupful of boiling water over them and set upon the stove to cook. When they begin to boil lay over them a crust made as for biscuit. Cover closely and bake twenty minutes. Serve with sugar and cream or with hard sauce.

Pineapple Dish.
Cut off the top of a pineapple and pare away the bottom so that it will stand upright and firm on the tray; scoop out the pulp, discarding the core; mix the pulp with one cupful of sliced raspberries, the strained juice of two oranges, two sliced bananas and sugar to taste. Return the mixture to the shell and chill thoroughly.

Cucumber Sauce.
Pare two cucumbers, cut lengthwise in quarters and cut off the edge containing the seeds. If they are large, then chop fine and squeeze through cheesecloth quite dry. Season with salt, paprika and vinegar and stir in one-half cup thick cream, whipped stiff.

Quince Honey.
Wash and wipe hard three very large quinces. Grate them, skin and all, down to the core. Add a quart of water and three pounds of sugar and boil until as thick as honey, then pour into glasses.

AVIATOR BEAUMONT

French Army Officer Wins Long English Air-Race.



BEAUMONT WINS

French Army Lieutenant Finishes First in Around-England Race.
Brooklands, England, July 27.—Andrew Beaumont (Lieutenant de Conneau) won the \$50,000 prize offered by the London Daily Mail for the circuit of Great Britain, 1,010 miles. The Frenchman received the finish here making a splendid volplane from a height of 1,000 feet.

Financier Improves.
Paris, July 27.—Charles G. Gates, son of John W. Gates, said that the general condition of his father continues to improve. The condition of his kidneys is especially improved, although the condition of the financier's heart is still causing anxiety.

Had Children to Spare.

The following is told at the expense of a New York literary man into whose family a fifth child came last summer. The family were at their country house in the north of the state, and for a time much of the care of the other four children devolved upon the father, who entertains some Spartan notions touching the rearing of his sons.

One morning he carried his three-year-old to the creek near his home to give him a cold plunge. The lad objected vigorously to this proceeding, but was firmly held and ducked despite his protests. Just as the father was "sending in" the youngster for the second time a powerful hand stayed him and he found himself in the grasp of a big farmer, a neighbor of his, who began to roar at him in this wise:

"None o' that! None o' that, or I'll hand you over to the law!"

It consumed the better part of half an hour to convince the farmer that no attempt was being made to drown the child. Even at the end the brawny tiler of the soil was not entirely convinced, for he kept shaking his head doubtfully and murmuring:

"I dunno about that; I dunno. You got four besides this."—Lippincott's.

Insomnia.
"So you actually took part in one of those terrible lynchings?"

"Yes," replied the man who talks about himself. "It was long ago in an unsettled community. Popular feeling was so strong that I didn't dare hang back."

"You must have had several sleepless nights afterward."

"I had. The only place I had to sleep was one of those old fashioned cord bedsteads, and the committee insisted on using the rope for the lynching."—Washington Star.

Excuse Enough.
Mrs. Hen—This boy of yours used the most shocking language in my presence. I want him punished severely.

Indulgent Mother—Madam, you should pity the poor child—not blame him. He can't help it. He was hatched from a bad egg.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Wasted.
The sluggard had gone to the ant and considered her ways.

"Just the same," he said, "I'd rather be a sluggard. The beauty little things don't do anything but work."

Which seems to show that on some men good advice is utterly thrown away.—Chicago Tribune.

The Other Kind.
Miss Chatterton (gushingly)—What a magnificent Great Dane! And, of course, his name is Hamlet?

Mr. Gaiety (the owner)—Not exactly. You see, I—er—couldn't consistently take that name. The best I could do was to call her Ophelia.—New Orleans Picayune.

Not a Parallel Case.
A writer in the Philadelphia Saturday Evening Post tells of a big overgrown, bashful booby of a farmer's boy who was afraid even to speak to a girl, and whose father one day finally lost patience and scolded him roundly for not looking about and finding some girl to marry. "Why," he said, "at your age I had been married three years and had a house and farm of my own!"

"Well, but dad," complained the boy, "that ain't the same thing at all. You only had to marry mother, while I've got to go and hunt up some strange girl and ask her to marry me!"

TIMELY BREVITIES

American vapor gas street lamps are being tried out in Jerusalem.

There are 35,000 Russians at work in Scottish iron and coal mines.

The only famous painting owned by Cecil Rhodes was one by Sir Joshua Reynolds.

A New York beggar carrying a sign, "I need bread," was found to have \$64 in his clothes.

Daniel Frohman, the theater manager, complains that the galleries are no longer occupied.

Rents of working class dwellings are about 25 per cent lower in Belgium than in England.

The wealth of Japan is over 30,000,000,000 yen (\$15,000,000,000), ranking seventh in the wealth of the world.

Fifty additional postal savings banks have been designated by the postmaster general, making a total of 700 established.

Switzerland, with a population of only 3,500,000, can put 50,000 men into the field. Her army costs her only \$5,000,000 a year.

A miner's safety lamp has been invented which automatically indicates the presence of even a small quantity of fire damp gases.

The departments in Washington are full of negroes who have rendered long and honorable service for many distinguished public men and their families.

Used cans are systematically collected in Germany, and the tin recovered amounts to 1 per cent of the total weight. The iron is disposed of as old scrap.

The total life insurance carried in the United States today is about \$150 a head of the population, a sum considerably greater than that of any other country in the world.

After occupying the same premises for forty-five years a Vienna goldsmith on removing recovered gold, silver and platinum dust worth \$3,000 from the floor and walls of his workshop.

A glove given by Mary, queen of Scots, to her master of the household as she went to the block and the silk vest worn by Charles I. when he was executed were recently exhibited at Cambridge, England.

A train two minutes late caused M. Louchet, a French artist, to miss a chance of painting the sunrise at Fontainebleau, and in consequence he is using the Paris Metropolitan Railway company for damages.

The inventor of the first lawn mower has recently died at the age of seventy-seven. The lawn mower is the razor of the American dooryard and has tidied up the home plot as nothing else could have done.

Ten years ago Scotland had a population, in round numbers, of 4,500,000. Now it has 4,800,000, so that the increase in ten years has been less than 7 per cent as compared with more than 11 per cent for the previous decade.

Ireland has 76,000 less inhabitants than it had ten years ago. The birth rate in the Emerald Isle has not declined, and births far exceed deaths, but the progressive young Irishmen desert their native island for the United States, Canada and Australia.

An egg of the aporynos or flying elephant of Madagascar has been obtained by the American Museum of Natural History. The shell of the egg would hold two gallons. There are no survivors of the creatures which produced such eggs, but the shells are often found in beds of fossils.

Ernst Heinrich Haeckel, professor of zoology at Jena, fractured his hip bone a short time ago and may be a cripple for the remainder of his life. The collapse of a stool on which he was standing to reach a book on a high shelf caused the accident. Professor Haeckel is seventy-seven years old.

Last year's imports of ivory into India amounted to 2,900,000 pounds, an increase of 1,300,000 pounds over the previous year. Most of these imports come from the Zambesi region. Much of this ivory is made into bangles and rings for Hindu women and finds a market mainly in Cutch and Kathiwar, in northwest India.

Since the Spanish conquest the mines of Salvador have given up fortunes. The Tabanco and Rosalia mines have yielded 2,537 ounces of silver to the ton, others \$2,000 to the ton, and not infrequently 35 to 40 per cent of the metal is gold. That the industry is not developed further than it is is due to lack of enterprise.

John Muir of California is a true naturalist. He is going all the way to southern Chile to examine one tree. The fact that he has never seen this particular species has troubled him for a long time. It is a rare species of the betel nut tree and is found in the jungles, particularly where monkeys abound, and grows partly under water.

No New York building has retained for long the rank of highest in the city. The Singer building was soon outdistanced by the tower of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company's offices. Now it is in turn to be overtopped by a building at Broadway and Park place which will extend into the heavens 750 feet. It will be the tallest in the world.

Thirty students of the Commercial High school of Basle, Switzerland, have written to the New York board of education asking that a public school be set aside for their lodging in the summer of 1912. The students explain that they are contemplating a visit to New York and that similar courtesies have been extended them in other countries which they have visited.

SHORT LOCALS

Mr. Lewis Hyman of Columbus was a visitor in the city on Wednesday.

Mr. Martin Hammond spent Wednesday in Millwood on business.

Mr. Hill Hammond of Millwood is spending several days in Mansfield on business.

Dr. W. S. Deoley is attending the meeting of the National Dental association at Cleveland.

Mr. Edward L. Parker, the well known boot and shoe man of Mt. Vernon, is circulating a petition seeking the nomination at the coming primaries as a candidate on the Democratic ticket for city auditor.

Mr. Walter Porter of this city was a business visitor in Howard Wednesday.

The Clinton township school board met Tuesday evening and transacted routine business.

The Arnold store, Mt. Vernon, Ohio, has a big stock of china dinner sets, glass ware and silver ware. This stock will offer the biggest selections and lowest prices in Knox county. See the open stock dinner patterns and low prices.

Mr. Ralph Jenkins was taken from his home on West Gambier street to the Mt. Vernon Medical and Surgical Sanitarium Tuesday afternoon in McCormick's ambulance. He will undergo an operation.

The Misses Elizabeth Kelley and Frances Drouhard returned from Cedar Point Tuesday after a week's outing.

Mr. J. E. Ward arrived in the city from Akron Tuesday evening in a new international touring car, which is the property of Mr. Lepley of Gambier.

New subjects of late \$1.50 books to sell at 50 cents in the popular copyright edition for summer reading. Mrs. Holmes, Southworth and Sheltons' books at 25 cents. New books and subjects at the Arnold store, Mt. Vernon, Ohio.

Miss Minnie Fox of Fort Wayne, Indiana, is spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Richardson of South Vernon.

Mr. Charles Burris of Mansfield has accepted a position as barber at the Taylor barber shop on South Main street.

Mr. Alfred Fish of Gambier spent Wednesday with friends in Mt. Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Slocum of Detroit, Michigan are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Richardson of South Vernon.

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The Arnold store, Mt. Vernon, Ohio.

Mr. Andrew Tilton has returned to his home in Mt. Vernon after an extended visit with relatives in Champagne, Ill., and other points.

Mrs. Al Baird left Wednesday morning for Coshocton, where she was called by the serious illness of her niece, Miss Beatrice Barrett.

Mr. Roy Clayton has returned to his home in Mt. Vernon after a several days' visit with his son, Mr. Clarence Clayton of Zanesville.

FOR SALE—A second hand auto mobile runabout; eighteen horse power; leather top, machine in No. 1 condition; cost \$1,500; a bargain at \$200. Owner has moved away; left in my charge to sell. Address, P. O. Box 302, Mt. Vernon, O.

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No. 14.....	7:10 a. m.
No. 4.....	11:30 a. m.
No. 16.....	5:57 p. m.
No. 8.....	6:36 p. m.
West	
No. 7.....	8:26 a. m.
No. 17.....	8:57 a. m.
No. 3.....	2:42 p. m.
No. 15.....	9:43 p. m.
Nos. 16 and 17 daily, except Sunday. Other trains daily.	
C., A. & C. R. R.	
South Bound	
*No. 506.....	12:41 a. m.
*No. 526.....	9:58 a. m.
*No. 522.....	6:20 a. m.
*No. 504.....	8:35 a. m.
*No. 518.....	10:55 a. m.
*No. 502.....	12:25 p. m.
*No. 508.....	6:25 p. m.
*No. 500.....	9:27 p. m.
North Bound	
*No. 507.....	2:40 a. m.
*No. 501.....	7:24 a. m.
*No. 509.....	8:26 a. m.
*No. 503.....	2:03 p. m.
*No. 505.....	5:52 p. m.
*No. 519.....	6:45 p. m.
*No. 521.....	7:10 p. m.
*No. 523 (to Mt. Vernon only).....	1:30 p. m.
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